

**11478. Adulteration of Spanish peanuts. U. S. v. 9 Bags \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 21100. Sample No. 59063-H.)**

**LABEL FILED:** On or about October 2, 1946, District of Montana.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about January 29, 1946, from St. Paul, Minn.

**PRODUCT:** 9 127-pound bags of Spanish peanuts at Billings, Mont., in the possession of the Keil Co. The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Some of the bags were rodent-gnawed, and insects and rodent excreta were observed on the surface of the bags. Examination showed that the product contained live insects, insect excreta, and rodent excreta.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

**DISPOSITION:** October 31, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**11479. Adulteration of pecan halves. U. S. v. 4 Cartons \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 20510. Sample No. 8919-H.)**

**LABEL FILED:** July 10, 1946, Southern District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 15, 1946, by the South Georgia Pecan Shelling Co., from Valdosta, Ga.

**PRODUCT:** 4 30-pound cartons of pecan halves at New York, N. Y.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Amber Pecan Halves."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of rancid pecans.

**DISPOSITION:** August 2, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**11480. Adulteration of pecan halves. U. S. v. 3 Cartons \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 20509. Sample No. 8918-H.)**

**LABEL FILED:** July 12, 1946, Southern District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 30, 1946, by the South Georgia Pecan Shelling Co., from Valdosta, Ga.

**PRODUCT:** 3 50-pound cartons of pecan halves at New York, N. Y.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of rancid pecans.

**DISPOSITION:** August 2, 1946. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**11481. Adulteration of pecan pieces. U. S. v. 2 Cartons \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 20570. Sample No. 1878-H.)**

**LABEL FILED:** On or about August 1, 1946, Northern District of Georgia.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 11, 1946, by the Monticello Pecan Co., from Tallahassee, Fla.

**PRODUCT:** 2 60-pound cartons of pecan pieces at Atlanta, Ga.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects, insect excreta, and insect-cut pecans.

**DISPOSITION:** September 9, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

## OILS AND FATS

**11482. Adulteration of mayonnaise. U. S. v. 115 Cases \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 19437. Sample Nos. 1176-H, 1177-H.)**

**LABEL FILED:** March 16, 1946, Western District of North Carolina.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about January 25 and February 7, 1946, by James B. Harris, from Columbia, S. C.

**PRODUCT:** 115 cases, each containing 12 1-quart jars, of mayonnaise at Statesville, N. C.